

C4177 Log Data Report

Borehole Information:

Borehole:	C4177		Site:	216-Z-7 Crib	
Coordinates (WA State Plane)		GWL (ft) ¹ :	Not Available	GWL Date:	Not Available
North	East	Drill Date	TOC ² Elevation	Total Depth (ft)	Type
Not Available	Not Available	07/02/04	N/A ³	50	Push

Casing Information:

Casing Type	Stickup (ft)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Inside Diameter (in.)	Thickness (in.)	Top (ft)	Bottom (ft)
Welded steel	0.4	6 5/8	5 1/2	9/16	0.4	50

Borehole Notes:

The logging engineer used a caliper to determine the outside casing diameter. The caliper, casing stickup, and inside casing diameter were measured using a steel tape. All measurements were rounded to the nearest 1/16 in. C. Cearlock (Fluor Hanford) provided the casing depth. All logging measurements are referenced to ground surface.

Logging Equipment Information:

Logging System:	Gamma 2A		Type: SGLS (35%) 34TP20893A
Calibration Date:	03/2004 Calibration Reference:		DOE-EM/GJ642-2004
		Logging Procedure:	MAC-HGLP 1.6.5, Rev. 0

Logging System:	Gamma 1C		Type: HRLS planar 39A314		
Calibration Date:	05/2004 Calibration Reference:		Not Available		
		Logging Procedure:	MAC-HGLP 1.6.5, Rev. 0		

Logging System:	Gamma 4L		Type: Passive Neutron U1754
Calibration Date:	None	Calibration Reference:	None
		Logging Procedure:	MAC-HGLP 1.6.5, Rev. 0

Spectral Gamma Logging System (SGLS) Log Run Information:

Log Run	1	2	3	4 Repeat	
Date	07/12/04	07/12/04	07/12/04	07/12/04	
Logging Engineer	Spatz	Spatz	Spatz	Spatz	
Start Depth (ft)	49.0	18.0	15.0	13.0	
Finish Depth (ft)	18.0	15.0	0.0	8.0	
Count Time (sec)	200	20	200	200	

Log Run	1	2	3	4 Repeat	
Live/Real	R	R	R	R	
Shield (Y/N)	N	N	N	N	
MSA Interval (ft)	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	
ft/min	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Pre-Verification	BA364CAB	BA364CAB	BA364CAB	BA364CAB	
Start File	BA364000	BA364032	BA364036	BA364052	
Finish File	BA364031	BA364035	BA364051	BA364057	
Post-Verification	BA365CAA	BA365CAA	BA365CAA	BA365CAA	
Depth Return	N/A	N/A	0	0	
Error (in.)	F:	NI - Con in-	Fine main	No fine main	
Comments	Fine-gain adjustment made after file -015.	No fine-gain adjustment. High rate interval.	Fine-gain adjustment made after file -036.	No fine-gain adjustment.	

High Rate Logging System (HRLS) Log Run Information:

Log Run	1	2 - Repeat		
Date	07/19/04	07/19/04		
Logging Engineer	Spatz	Spatz		
Start Depth (ft)	19.0	19.0		
Finish Depth (ft)	15.0	15.0		
Count Time (sec)	300	300		
Live/Real	R	R		
Shield (Y/N)	N	N		
MSA Interval (ft)	1.0	1.0		
ft/min	N/A	N/A		
Pre-Verification	AC105CAB	AC105CAB		
Start File	AC106000	AC106005		
Finish File	AC106004	AC106009		
Post-Verification	AC106CAA	AC106CAA		
Depth Return Error (in.)	N/A	N/A		
Comments	No fine-gain adjustment.	No fine-gain adjustment.		

Passive Neutron (PN) Log Run Information:

Log Run	1	2 - Repeat		
Date	07/13/04	07/13/04		
Logging Engineer	Pearson	Pearson		
Start Depth (ft)	0.0	13.0		
Finish Depth (ft)	49.0	18.0		
Count Time (sec)	N/A	N/A		
Live/Real	N/A	N/A		
Shield (Y/N)	N	N		
MSA Interval (ft)	0.25	0.25		
ft/min	1.0	1.0		
Pre-Verification	DL002CAB	DL002CAB		
Start File	DL002000	DL002193		
Finish File	DL002192	DL002213		
Post-Verification	DL002CAA	DL002CAA		
Depth Return	N/A	- 0.5		

Log Run	1	2 - Repeat		
Error (in.)				
Comments	No fine-gain	No fine-gain		
	adjustment.	adjustment.		

Logging Operation Notes:

Logging was performed with a centralizer installed on the sondes. Pre- and post-survey verification measurements for the SGLS employed the Amersham KUT (40 K, 238 U, and 232 Th) verifier with serial number 082. Maximum log depth was 1.0 ft less than the reported casing depth. A high rate interval from 15 to 18 ft was logged with the SGLS at a 20 sec count time.

High rate logging was performed from 14 to 22 ft. The pre- and post-verification measurements were acquired in the CS-135 verifier, SN 1013.

Passive neutron logging was also performed in the borehole to detect neutrons that may be generated by interactions of alpha particles in the soil, or, to a less extent, from spontaneous fission. Pre- and post-verification measurements were acquired using an Am-Be neutron source.

Analysis Notes:

An	alyst:	Henwood	Date:	08/02/04	Reference:	GJO-HGLP 1.6.3, Rev. 0
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SGLS and HRLS pre-run and post-run verification spectra were collected at the beginning and end of the day. All of the verification spectra were within the acceptance criteria. Examinations of spectra indicate that the detector functioned normally during logging, and the spectra are accepted.

Verification spectra using an AmBe neutron source were acquired for the passive neutron logging system. Currently there are no verification criteria established for this system. The counts obtained from the preand post-verifications were within 1 percent.

Log spectra were processed in batch mode using APTEC SUPERVISOR to identify individual energy peaks and determine count rates. Verification spectra were used to determine the energy and resolution calibration for processing the data using APTEC SUPERVISOR. Concentrations for SGLS and HRLS spectra were calculated in EXCEL (source files: G2AMar04.xls and G1CMay04.xls, respectively). The passive neutron data require no data processing except to convert total counts to counts per second. The casing configuration was assumed as one string of 6-in. casing with a thickness of 9/16 in. to 51 ft (total logging depth). Dead time corrections are applied to the SGLS data where dead time exceeds 6 percent. Where SGLS dead time exceeds 40 percent, HRLS data are substituted. No water corrections were required.

Log Plot Notes:

Separate log plots are provided for gross gamma and dead time, naturally occurring radionuclides (⁴⁰K, ²³⁸U, and ²³²Th), and man-made radionuclides. Plots of the repeat logs versus the original logs are included. For each radionuclide, the energy value of the spectral peak used for quantification is indicated. Unless otherwise noted, all radionuclides are plotted in picocuries per gram (pCi/g). The open circles indicate the minimum detectable level (MDL) for each radionuclide. Error bars on each plot represent error associated with counting statistics only and do not include errors associated with the inverse efficiency function, dead time correction, or casing correction. These errors are discussed in the calibration report. A combination plot that also includes passive neutron measurements is included to facilitate correlation. The ²¹⁴Bi peak at 1764 keV was used to determine the naturally occurring ²³⁸U concentrations on the combination plot rather than the ²¹⁴Bi peak at 609 keV because it exhibited slightly higher net counts per second.

Results and Interpretations:

¹³⁷Cs, ⁶⁰Co, and ¹⁵⁴Eu were the man-made radionuclides detected in this borehole. ¹³⁷Cs was detected between 1 and 3 ft with a maximum concentration of approximately 0.5 pCi/g at 3 ft. It was also detected between 13 ft and total depth (49 ft) with a maximum concentration of approximately 15,000 pCi/g at 17 ft.

⁶⁰Co was detected between 14 and total depth (49 ft) with a maximum concentration of approximately 28 pCi/g at 23 ft. It is likely ⁶⁰Co exists in the high gamma activity zone between 15 and 19 ft. The MDL for ⁶⁰Co is significantly increased in the high activity zone such that it may not be detected.

¹⁵⁴Eu was detected between 13 and 47 ft. The maximum concentration was measured at 60 pCi/g at 18 ft. It is likely ¹⁵⁴Eu exists in the high gamma activity zone between 15 and 19 ft. The MDL for ¹⁵⁴Eu is significantly increased in the high activity zone such that it may not be detected.

Passive neutron logging was performed in the borehole to detect neutrons that may be generated by interactions of alpha particles with oxygen and other less important elements in the soil or from spontaneous fission. Many transuranic radionuclides decay predominantly by alpha particle emission and the passive neutron system may be useful to identify the existence of transuranic radionculides where no gamma emissions are available for detection. The even number isotopes of plutonium such as ²⁴⁰Pu also decay by spontaneous fission and are thus neutron emitters. There is no calibration for this logging system and the data provided are to be used qualitatively.

The passive neutron detector indicates the highest count rate (approximately 14 cps) at 15.75 ft, which approximately corresponds with the depth of the highest total gamma count rate (17 ft). The passive neutron may be detecting the decay of plutonium isotopes. The MDL for ²³⁹Pu is greatly increased in the high activity zone and the isotope was not detected with the SGLS or HRLS. The approximate MDL for ²³⁹Pu at 24 ft is estimated to be 63,000 pCi/g, based on the 375-keV gamma line. In the highest activity zone at 17 ft, the MDL for ²³⁹Pu would be significantly higher. However, in the absence of significant ¹³⁷Cs and other interfering radionuclides, the MDL is approximately 20,000 pCi/g.

²³⁹Pu was detected in borehole C4178, which is located approximately 120 ft southeast of this borehole. The maximum ²³⁹Pu concentration measured in C4178 was approximately 240,000 pCi/g, which corresponds to a passive neutron count rate of 3 cps. On the basis of a greater neutron count rate (14 cps) in borehole C4177, it is possible plutonium isotopes exist at greater concentrations than those measured in C4178. However, **caution** should be used when considering this relationship since it is based on only two data points. Other factors such as the very high gamma flux may affect the counting characteristics of the neutron detector.

The ⁴⁰K and ²³²Th logs showed an increase in concentrations at approximately 41 ft, perhaps suggesting a lithology change.

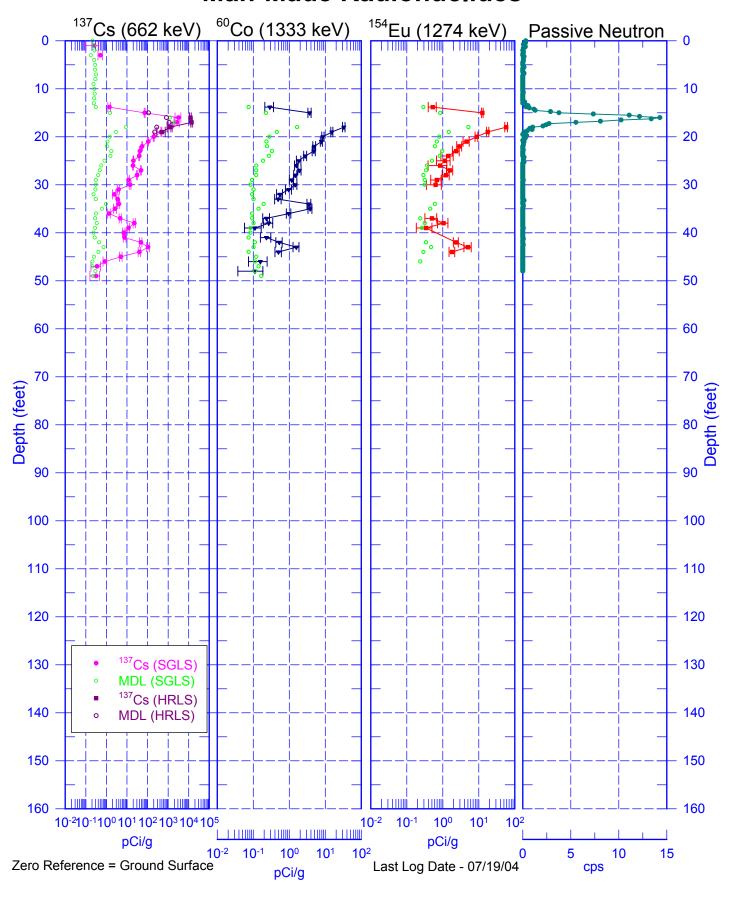
The plots of the repeat logs demonstrate reasonable repeatability of the SGLS data for the natural and manmade radionuclides. The passive neutron data are less repeatable but show enhanced count rates at similar depth locations.

³ N/A – not applicable

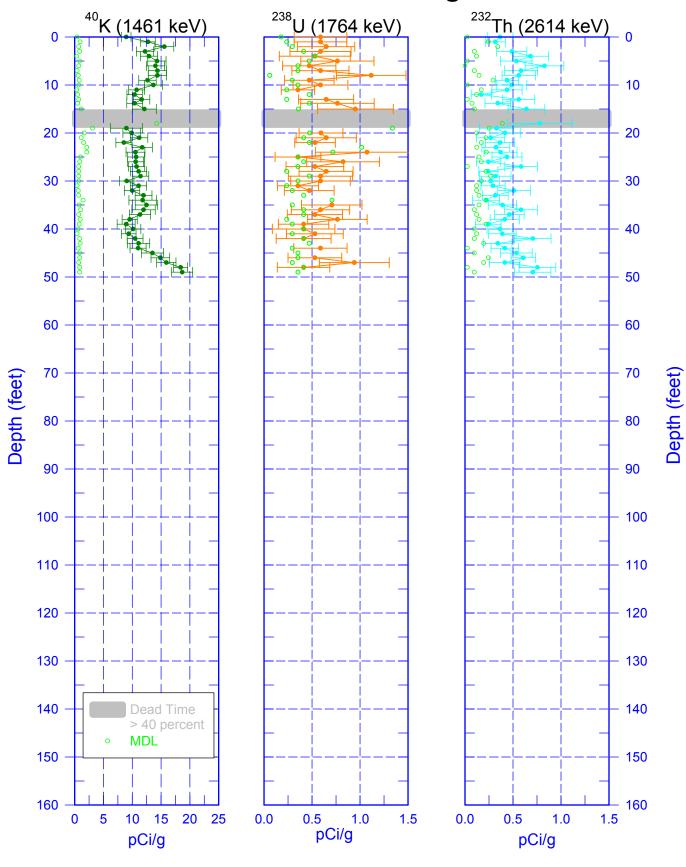
¹ GWL – groundwater level

 $^{^{2}}$ TOC – top of casing

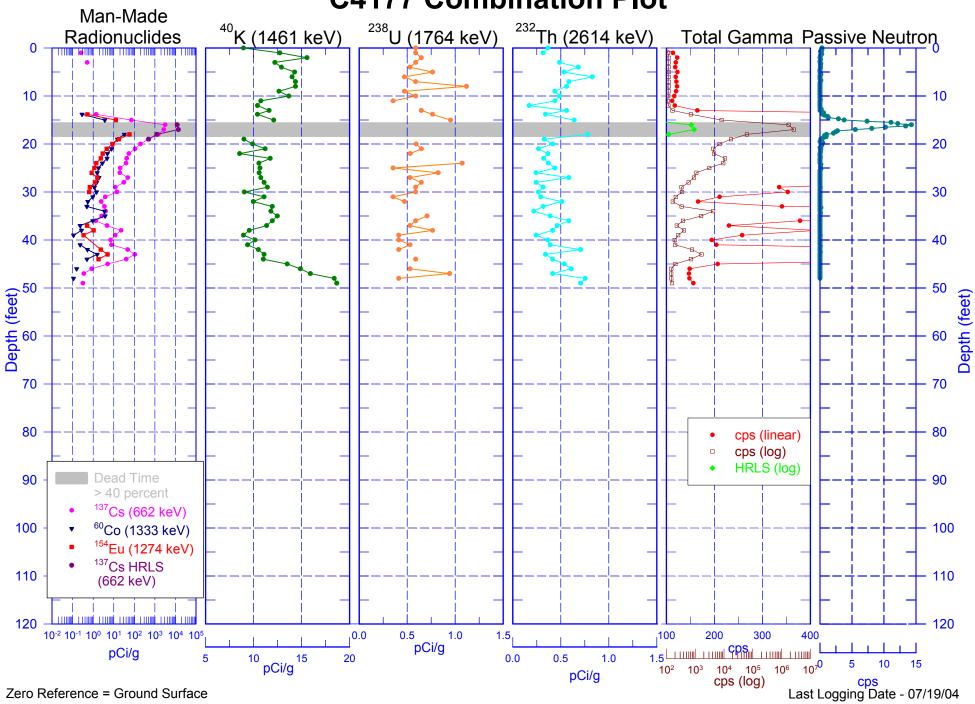
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Man-Made Radionuclides



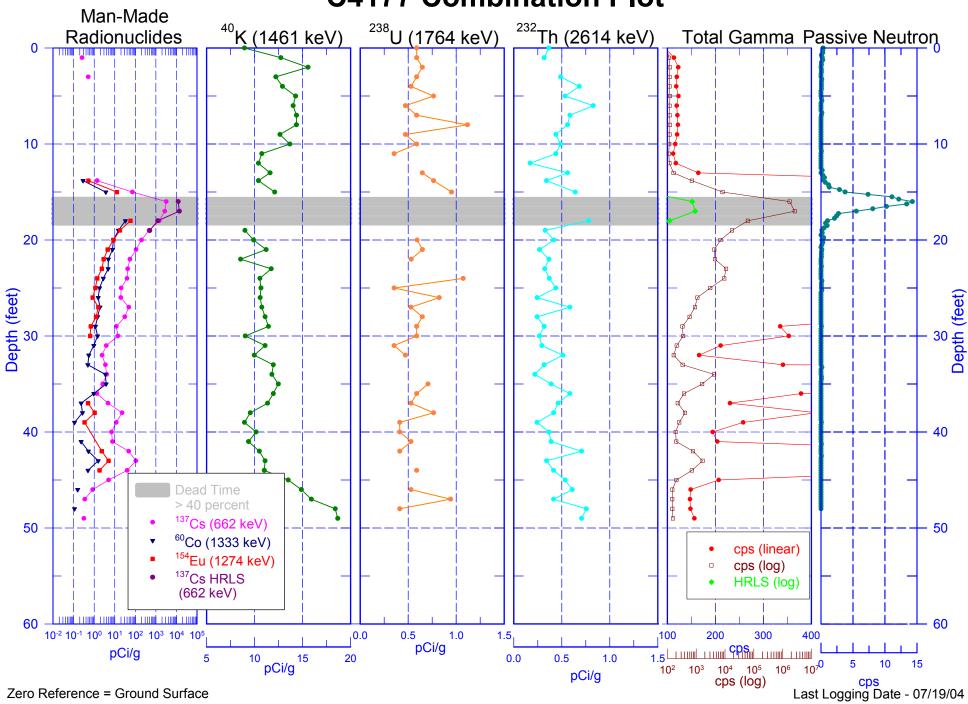
C4177 Natural Gamma Logs



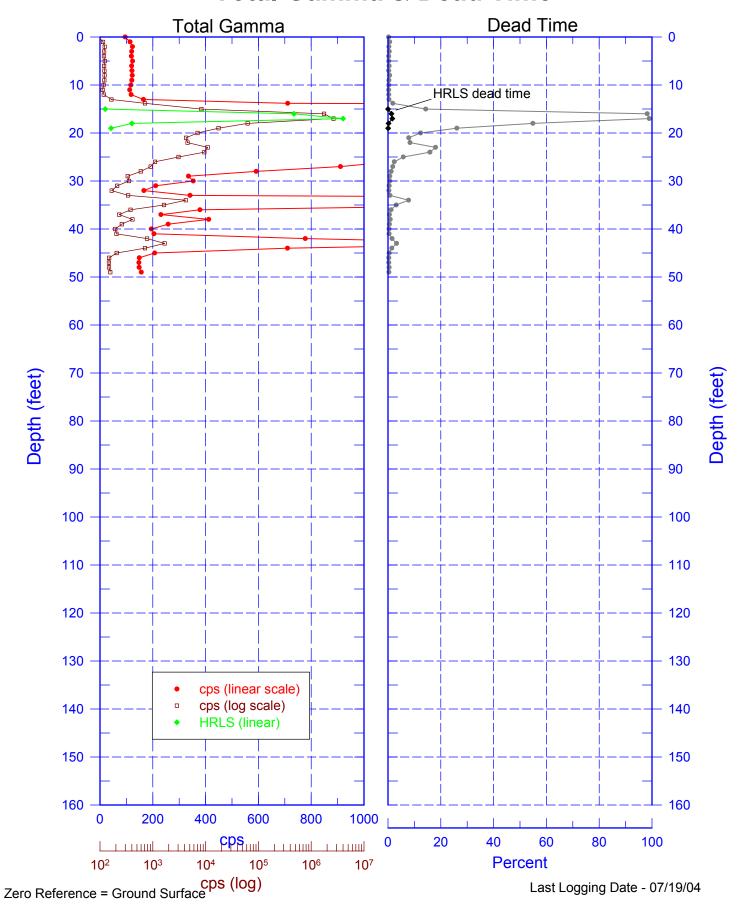
C4177 Combination Plot



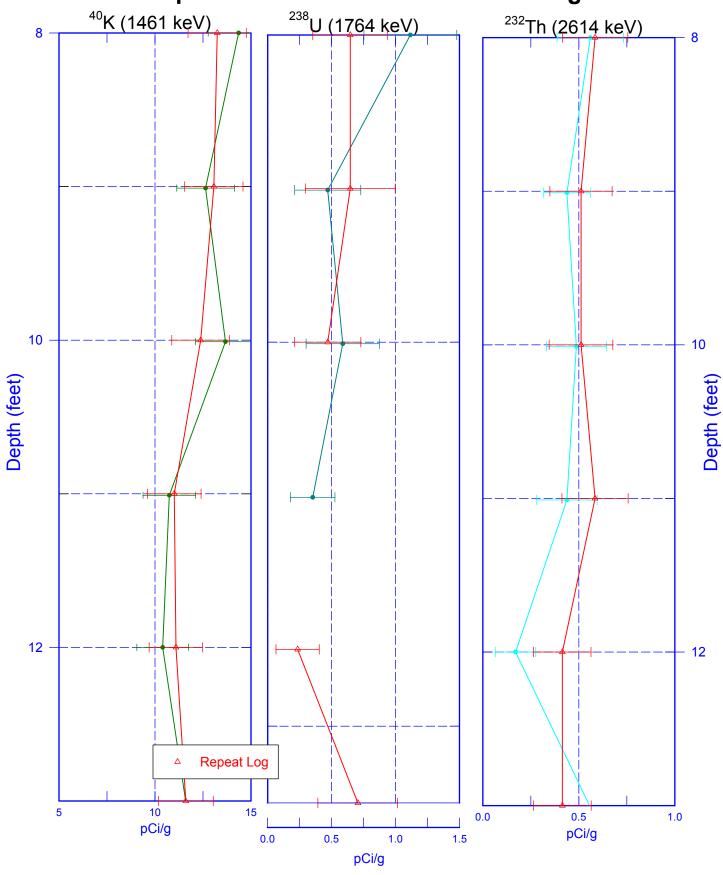
C4177 Combination Plot



C4177
Total Gamma & Dead Time



C4177
Repeat Section of Natural Gamma Logs



C4177
Passive Neutron Repeat Section

